Attorney Docket Number UF-387 DECLARATION (\$7, CFR §1, 69) FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION Arthur Rick Alleman **First Named Inventor USING AN COMPLETE IF KNOWN APPLICATION DATA SHEET (37 C.F.R. § 1.76)** 10/696,019 Application Number October 28, 2003 Filing Date X Declaration Declaration 1645 Submitted after Initial OR Submitted Group Art Unit Filing (surcharge with Initial (37 CFR 1.16 (e)) required) **Examiner Name** Filina This declaration is directed to an application entitled: POLYNUCLEOTIDES AND POLYPEPTIDES OF ANAPLASMA PHAGOCYTOPHILUM AND METHODS OF USING THE SAME As the below named inventor(s), I/we declare that: This declaration is directed to: Application No. 10/696,019 , filed on October 28, 2003 as amended on ______(if applicable); I/we believe that I/we am/are the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought; I/ we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above; I/we acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me/us to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of the continuation-in-part application. All statements made herein of my/own knowledge are true, all statements made herein on information and belief are believed to be true, and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001, and may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon. Full Name(s) of Inventors Citizen of: US Inventor One: Arthur Rick Alleman Signature: Citizen of: UK Inventor Two: Anthony F. Barbet Signature: A.F. Barbet Citizen of: Inventor Three: Signature: Citizen of: Inventor Four: Signature: Additional inventors are being named on the 1 additional form(s) attached hereto.

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